Old-Field Schools in Olden Times.

Ex-Gov. Perry, in his very interesting "Reminiscences," written for the Green-ville Enterprise and Mountaineer, gives the following truthful and life-like de-scription of the "old-field schools" of his young days, and which were common even at a later period. The fidelity of which have lately appeared in a number the picture will be recognized by many of our State exchanges, that certain Conof our readers:

years have passed away, since I began to fair government. So far as we have read go to them, and fifty-four since I left our exchanges we have not found a line them. They were all pretty much alike. or word in any one of them that warrants There was a log house, twenty feet square, built near a spring, and frequently in the woods instead of ar old field. In one end of the building there was a huge fire place, extending almost across that and of the huilding. The chimney was end of the building. The chimney was him; we have not filled the columns of proportionably large. There were great our papers every week with fulsome aducracks between the logs, which let in the light, and rendered it unnecessary to have more than one window, which was about one foot and a half square. Some dared to speak and write of Attorneytimes the cracks were chinked in the General Chamberlain calmly and accordwinter, but the chinking was aling to our convictions of what is due ways knocked out in the Summer. This to the people and Mr. Chamberlain made the school room airy, as well as himself. light. There was a desk in one corner for the accommodation of the teacher and keeping books and papers. On this do not endorse that, in full. Gov. Chamdesk there were always a large hickory | berlain's course we grant, was a necessity, switch about three feet long, and brought | not merely for the good of the tax-payers into effective use every day, and some-times every hour in the day. The prop-er use of this switch seemed to be as nec-times every hour in the day. The prop-the country. The wires were worked in cessary to the pedagogue as his learning. Mr. Petigru went to school to Dr. Waddell, at Willington, who, it is said, had great experience, as well as sleightof-hand, in the use of the switch or hickory, and after he graduated at the entertained that unless a change was hickory, and after he graduated at the South Carolina College, he taught school himself for a short period, and said that if he had continued much long-next Presidential election, and perhaps er than he really thought he could have equalled his old preceptor in the dexte-ous use of the switch. It is remarkable that such a barbarous practice should have been universally tolerated by parents and practiced by school teachers. An ill-natured pedagogue gets in the habit of flogging his boys, and does it very often to gratify his own bad feelings and passions. I have seen boys whipped severely for the most trivial offences, when a word of reproof from the teacher would have had a much better effect on the boy. It is said there are two ways of governing, one by fear and the other by love. The latter never was reother by love. The latter never was resorted to by school masters in my boyish days. I hope there has been a change the odium of his former associations was in this respect since that time. I have seen boys whipped in school until they did not seem to regard it all, and it had no effect in improving their behaviour. If they had been treated kindly by the teacher, and gently reproved, it would have had a much better effect.

There was a plank or puncheon on one side of the school house for the scholars to write on, instead of a table or desk. There were benches all around the room dared to get out until he returned. This badge was seldom hanging at the door idly. As soon as one returned with it another took it. But all had first to ask leave of absence from the school master. If we did not know how to pronounce a word we went to the teacher with a finger on the word, and he gave the proper pronunciation. Very often this was done out of pure mischief or idleness.

The larger boys who were learning Arithmetic or Grammar, were permitted to go out of the school house to get their lessons. Certain classes were called to recite at certain times, and the teacher was kept very busy from early in the morning till twelve o'clock when there was an intermission in the school of an hour or two. This was "play time."
Baskets were opened and all partcok of
their dinners first and then went to play.
Some times there was an exchange of dinners, or a swap of one article of food for another. The plays were numerous with balls and marbles. I do not remember all the varieties. There were "prisoner's base," "cat," "shinney," "nucks," "quoits," etc. etc.

When our play time had expired, the teacher would come to the door and cry out in a stentorian voice, "come to books." Instantly all plays were at an end, and all were hastening back to the school house. The school continued in the evening till towards sun set, and not like the present fashionable schools, one-half the day only. School keeping now a days is nothing more than "lesson hearing." The boy is expected to learn his lessons at home, and come the next day and recite them. The parents have to become teachers, and the boy trudges along with a satchel full of books. We generally left our books at the school house and learned our lessons there under the direction of the teacher. When the school closed there was a rivalry amongst the boys as to carrying the teacher home with them. He boarded amongst his pupils. Sometimes he would stay at one house a week, and then again he would change his lodging every night. He generally favored those with most of his company, where he found the best accomodations. This was very nat-ural and excusable. The teachers were most commonly young men, and without families. The first school master, however, that I ever went to, was a married man. He got drunk one night, fell into the creek and froze to death on its banks. I had just begun to learn my letters and was about five years old. I remember my father asked me if I could say my let-ters "by heart." I did not know what "by heart" meant, but commenced repeating the alphabet, and with some apprehension that I might not do it "by

heart." The boys in the school were very sociable and hospitable. They were very fond of going home with each other and spending a night. This was done constantly. We had, however, first to ask our parents' permission. This was seldom refused. It was customary in those days to

"turn out" the teacher on holidays and other occasions. The boys would take advantage, in the absence of the teacher, to bar the door and demand a holiday. Sometimes the demand extended to a treat. I remember a school master from Pennsylvania who seemed to be ignorant of this custom and took it in high dudgeon. He turned his back on the school ceptable government to the people of the and walked off very unceremoniously. The scholars held a consultation whether or not they should purme him, bring him back and make Lim treat. But he was a stout, athletic fellow and they

the boys got around him like a parcel of Lilliputians and finally overcome him. He was held in durance vile till he came to terms. This was a frolic well understood by the teacher as well as the boys, and never resulted in anything unpleasant.

#### Gov. Chamberlain's Cause.

One would suppose, on reading the fulsome laudations of Gov. Chamberlain which have lately appeared in a number servative journals are opposing the ac-"I have a very vivid remembrance of tion of the Governor in his efforts to give my old-field schools, although sixty-four | the people of South Carolina two years of

Some of our exchanges teil us "Gov-ernor Chamberlain is a necessity." We Washington, and he responded. The condition of South Carolina began to open the eyes of the people all over the country to the corruption of the Republi-South Carolina also. We have no idea it was any love for the people of this State that prompted the leaders of the with it-even if it should prove to but a respite from the former infamous rule. We would not place a straw in Gov. Chamberlain's path so long as he continues in the course he has marked out. Other journals say the time selected for

speaking of Attorney-General Chamberlain's errors was inopportunate. There we differ widely. We thought then, and still clinging to him; and as arrests of some of those associates were about to commence, an opportunity would be offered him to prove his assertion that he was innocent of any of the fraud and cor-ruption imputed to him while he was Attorney-General. For our part, we were sincerely desirous that he should prove himself guiltless of actual participation in those frauds, and his cham-pions said he could do so. But how for them to sit on, and sometimes when the school was large, there would be two or three across the middle of the room. The girls were generally seated on one set of benches, and the boys on another. In learning our lessons we would repeat them that in the division of the result of what that in the division of the result of what that in the division of the result of what the division of the result sometimes when all were intent on learning, the school house was a perfect babel. At the door hung a paddle or stick, which every one had to carry out with was not aware that Mr. Chamberlain. It is true that the same witness says, "he was not aware that Mr. Chamberlain on the property of the room and no one." him when he left the room and no one knew anything about the transaction, or whether he received the \$50,000;" but where was the Governor of the State when the trial was going on, and this imputation was sworn to? He knew of it, and must have expected that his name would be mixed up with it. By the following, which we take from the Charlesston News and Courier of the 12th, we are informed that Mr. Chamberla'n was, and informed that Mr. Chamberla'n was, and is still absent from the State; and we are led to infer that he cares but little about the trial and the effect it will have upon his official character, or the interests of

the State: Governor Chamberlain is not here to speak for himself, and we feel warranted, therefore, in printing an extract from a private letter, dated May 11, 1875, when the charge that Governor Chamberlain was mixed up with the coupon frauds had not been made. In the letter in question, Governor Chamberlain said: "The whole coupon business, for which Parker is now held, was new to me 'till last February. I never heard of such a transaction 'till then. Who were in it, I cannot tell, but I do know who is not.'

Now, we would like to take Gov Chamberlain's statement as truth; but it does seem strange that he should absent himself from the State, just at the time when he knew his name would by "mixed up with the coupon frauds" under the solemnity of an oath.

When we consider the utter indifference displayed by the whole Radical gang when charges of fraud and corruption are made against them, Mr. Chamberlain's indifference to the case now on trial and his apparent don't-care style of treating all notices of his connexion with those who we must believe did commit frauds, naturally compels us to place him in the same schedule of crime with them.

Like Leslie, Whittemore, Crews, Hurley, et id o mne genus, he appears not to care a whit for the accusations made against him, and while he may not, like them, smile with childlike blandness at the frauds they have been accessory to, and claim praise for their sharp practices, he certainly does not seem the least disturbed at his name being placed in the same category. He evidently aims to have two years of good record, as Gov-ernor, in the belief that it will wipe out all traces of the many previous years of bad record, and we don't object to that.

What we complain of most is the hasty we may say premature—and fulsome defense of Governor Chamberlain, by some of the papers in the State, while they are earnest and persistent in their demands for the arrest and conviction of every other official who acted with him when the frauds were committed. Let us demand of him also to clear up, as far as he can, the mystery which shrouds his former course. If he does that, or even makes an honest and bold effort to defend himself, no man will be more willing than we to try and forget the past; but until we have more reason for recalling the accusations made against him before but in many things he has done towards the Counties which show conclusively, we think, that the reform he professes is more to affect the mines of outsiders than | GET THE BOOK. to restore, practically, an honest and ac-State. In the language of the News and Courter to Comptroller Dunn, "no public officer is to high for criticism."-

was a stout, athletic fellow and they were afraid of the consequences. Sometimes the teacher would break down the times the teacher would be the times t door and get into the house. Then all spare-rib or two about him.

Union Times.

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Wheeler & Wilson Manufacturing Co	92,827	174,088	Decrease, 81,261
Iowe Sewing Machine Co. estimated	35,000	145,000	Decrease.110,000
Oomestic Sewing Machine Co	22,700	49.554	Decrease, 26,854
Veed Sewing Machine Co	20,495	42,444	Decrease, 21,949
roover & Baker S. M. Co., estimated	20,000	52,010	Decrease, 32,010
Remington Empire S. M. Co	17,608	9,183	Increase, 8,425
Vilson Sewing Machine Co	17,525	22,666	Decrease, 5,141
old Medal Sewing Machine Co	15.214	18,897	Decrease. 3,683
Vilcox & Gibbs Sewing Machine Co	13,710	33,639	Decrease, 19,929
merican B. H., etc., S. M. Co	13,529	18,930	Decrease, 5,401
ictor Sewing Machine Co	6,292	11,901	Decrease, 5,609
lorence Sewing Machine Co	5,517	15,793	Decrease. 10,276
ecor Sewing Machine Co	4,541	3,430	Increase. 1,111
. E. Braunsdsdorf & Co., Aetna	1,866	4,262	Decrease. 2,396
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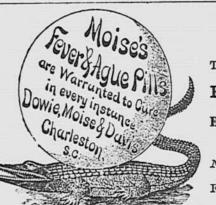
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